Zanesville City Schools Career Pathways Career Cluster:

Finance

This career pathway is designed to assist with planning for a career in the field of finance. School counselors assist in designing an academic pathway that includes all core graduation requirements and applicable electives to prepare properly for postsecondary education. Considerations pertaining to prerequisite courses, corequisite courses, leveling, teacher recommendations and class availability play a role in developing a specific and personalized plan that will maximize opportunities for success.

Interests/ Skills/ Traits Associated with Finance

The Finance Cluster prepares learners for careers in financial and investment planning, banking, insurance and business financial management. Career opportunities are available in every sector of the economy and require specific skills in organization, time management, customer service and communication. (from *Naviance*, "careers" tab)

Focused Elective Options Focused electives are only suggestions. Students may explore other areas of study to fulfill elective requirements.		Sample Career Choices Please click on the title of the career for up-to-date information from the Bureau of Labor Statistics
Applied Technology: Creative Thinking/Problem Solving	Mathematics: Data Analysis and Probability	Accountants and Auditors 2018 Median Pay-\$70,500; Entry-level Education-Bachelor's degree Actuaries
Family & Consumer Science: Transitions and Careers Child Development Personal Finance Management	Social Studies: Psychology Sociology Order in the Court	2018 Median Pay-\$102,880; Entry-level Education-Bachelor's degree Budget Analysts
English: CCR Writing & Study Skills CP College Research & Technical Writing CP Creative Writing CP Public Speaking CP Announcements	World Languages: French 1, 2, & 3 Honors French 4 Spanish 1, 2, & 3 AP Spanish Language and Culture	2018 Median Pay- \$76,220; Entry-level Education- Bachelor's degree
		Claims Adjusters, Appraisers, Examiners 2018 Median Pay - \$65,670; Entry-level Education - HS diploma Financial Analysts
AP Language & Composition Zane State Composition 1 Zane State Composition 2 Zane State American Literature		2018 Median Pay- \$85,660; Entry-level Education- Bachelor's degree Personal Financial Advisors
		2018 Median Pay- \$88,890; Entry-level Education- Bachelor's degree Insurance Sales Agent
		2018 Median Pay - \$50,600; Entry-level Education - HS diploma <u>Loan Officers</u>
		2018 Median Pay- \$63,040; Entry-level Education-Bachelor's degree Tellers
		2018 Median Pay - \$29,450 ; Entry-level Education - HS diploma

External Extended Learning Opportunities	Career Shadow/Internship/Mentor Suggestions	
Mid-East CTC: Medical and Legal Office Professionals	Appraisers Accountants Bank Tellers	Personal Financial Advisors Insurance Agents Loan Officers